



## **Bourne Town Football Club Young Players Code of Conduct**

Bourne Town Football Club share and encourage the FA's Code of Respect, we believe that we all have the responsibility to promote the highest standards of behaviour. Young players have a significant role to play in this. All young players should follow this code of conduct and treat your team, other players, match officials with Respect.

### **Young Players:**

#### **When playing football, I will:**

- Always play my best for the benefit of the team.
- Play fairly and always show respect to everyone involved in the game.
- Play by the rules and respect the Referee.
- Shake hands with the other team - win or lose.
- Listen carefully to what my coach tells me.
- Understand that the coach must do what is best for the team.
- Talk to someone I trust or the Club Welfare Officer if I'm unhappy about things at the club.
- Encourage my teammates.

#### **I understand that if I do not follow the code, I may:**

- Be asked to apologise to whoever I've upset.
- Receive a formal warning.
- Be dropped, substituted, or suspended from training.
- Be asked to leave the club.

### **Club Welfare Officer / Safeguarding Officer details:**

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